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**VIA E FILING**

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Chief Clerk and Administrator  
South Carolina Public Service Commission  
101 Executive Center Drive  
Columbia, SC 29210

RE: Application of Carolina Water Service, Inc. for Approval of a Franchise Agreement  
between Carolina Water Service, Inc. and York County, South Carolina  
Docket No. 2018-74-WS

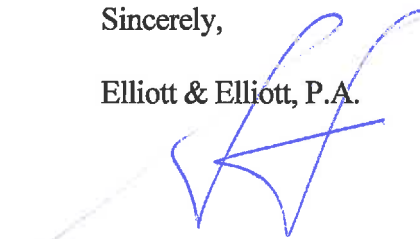
Dear Ms. Boyd:

Enclosed please find for filing the Affidavit of Publication of the Notice of Filing in connection with the above-referenced matter. By copy of this correspondence, I am serving all parties of records.

If you have any questions, or if I may provide you with any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Elliott & Elliott, P.A.



Scott Elliott

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Enclosures

cc: Jeffrey M. Nelson, Esquire (w/encl.)

## AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

COUNTY OF YORK

**CERTIFICATION**  
OF PUBLICATION OF LEGAL NOTICE IN

**THE HERALD**  
**FORT MILL TIMES**

I, **Cherri W Foster** of The Herald, a newspaper published in York County, South Carolina, being duly sworn, certify that the attached advertisement of **LEGAL NOTICE** was duly published in the aforesaid newspaper on the dates:

Rock Hill, York Co., S.C. for

1 Insertion(s)

Published On:

March 21, 2018

*Cherri W. Foster*

Cherri W Foster of The Herald

Sworn to and subscribed before me this  
26th day of March, 2018

My Commission Expires: 1/5/2028

*Deborah A. Panchant*  
Notary Public for South Carolina

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**THIS IS AN IMPORTANT  
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**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
CLERK'S OFFICE  
NOTICE OF FILING  
DOCKET NO. 2018-74-WS**

Application of Carolina Water Service, Inc. for Approval of a Franchise Agreement between Carolina Water Service, Inc. and York County, South Carolina

Carolina Water Service, Inc. (CWS or the Company) has filed an Application with the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the Commission) for approval of a Franchise Agreement by and between CWS and York County, South Carolina. CWS owns and operates a water system and sewer system in York County pursuant to a Franchise Agreement dated January 28, 1992, where it serves 4,028 water customers and 3,556 sewer customers in a defined area of the county (Franchise Area). CWS has negotiated an extension of its Franchise Agreement with York County for a period of 25 years through February 5, 2043. A copy of the Franchise Agreement is attached to the Application as Exhibit A, and a copy can be obtained on the Commission's Docket Management System under Docket No. 2018-74-WS. If the Commission approves the Franchise Agreement, CWS will provide service to its customers in the Franchise Area according to the terms of the Franchise Agreement and pursuant to all of the terms, conditions, rates and charges set forth in the Company's rate schedule as may be on file with the Commission and in effect from time to time. In sum, CWS requests that the Commission approve the Franchise Agreement with York County as in the public interest and authorize the Company to recover all payments, fees, and charges agreed to in the Franchise Agreement as prudent, just, and reasonable. The Application was filed pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. Regs. 103-541 and 103-743.

A copy of the company's Application can be found on the Commission's website at [www.psc.sc.gov](http://www.psc.sc.gov) under Docket No. 2018-74-WS. Additionally, a copy of the application is available from the corporate office of Scott Elliott, Esquire, Elliott & Elliott, PA and Charles L.A. Terreni, Esquire, Terreni Law Firm, LLC, 1508 Lady Street, Columbia, South Carolina 29201.

Any person who wishes to participate in this matter as a party of record, should file a Petition to Intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure on or before **April 23, 2018**, by filing the Petition with the Commission, by providing a copy to the Office of Regulatory Staff and by providing a copy to all parties of record. For the receipt of future Commission correspondence, please include an email address in the Petition to Intervene. **Please refer to Docket No. 2018-74-WS and mail a copy to all other parties in this docket.** Any person who seeks to intervene and who wishes to testify and present evidence at the hearing, if scheduled, should notify, in writing, the Commission; the Office of Regulatory Staff at 1401 Main Street, Suite 900, Columbia, South Carolina 29201; and the company at the above address, on or before **April 23, 2018. Please refer to Docket No. 2018-74-WS.**

A public hearing, if scheduled, will be held in Columbia, South Carolina in the offices of the Commission located at 101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100, Columbia, South Carolina 29210, for the purpose of receiving testimony and other evidence from all interested parties regarding this Application. The time and date of this hearing will be furnished to all interested parties at a later date.

For the most recent information regarding this docket, including changes in scheduled dates included in this Notice, please refer to [www.psc.sc.gov](http://www.psc.sc.gov) and **Docket No. 2018-74-WS.** Persons seeking information about the Commission's procedures should contact the Commission at (803) 696-5100 or visit its website at [www.psc.sc.gov](http://www.psc.sc.gov).

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## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned employee of Elliott & Elliott, P.A. does hereby certify that she has served below listed parties with a copy of the pleading(s) indicated below by mailing a copy of same to them in the United States mail, by regular mail, with sufficient postage affixed thereto and return address clearly marked on the date indicated below:

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DOCKET NO.: 2018-74-WS

PARTIES SERVED: Jeffrey M. Nelson, Esquire  
Office of Regulatory Staff  
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PLEADING: AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION OF NOTICE OF FILING

April 12, 2018



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